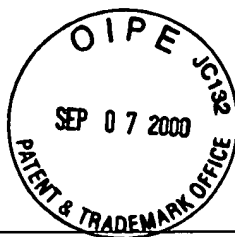


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

(X) An extension of time to respond for two months is hereby requested.

Time Extension Fee:

(X) two months (\$190 small entity)

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS FILED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	33	—	26	= 7 × \$9	= \$63
Independent Claims	7	—	16	= 0 × \$39	= \$0
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add				\$130	= \$130
Time Extension Fee					\$190
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$383

(X) A small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

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- (X) Supplemental Declaration.
 - (X) "Courtesy Copy" of Specification.
 - (X) Substitute Sequence Listing.
 - (X) Sequence Listing in CRF form.
 - (X) Garcia-Bustos, et al., 1991.
 - (X) Van Etten, et al, 1989.
 - (X) Webster's "contain".
 - (X) USP 5,968,773,
USP 5,948,883, and
USP 5,869,258,
all by Examiner McKelvey
 - (X) "Ribboned" USP 5,670,347.
 - (X) Supplemental IDS, Form 1449, and references, plus \$240 petition fee.
 - (X) Return prepaid postcard.
 - (X) A check in the amount of \$623 is enclosed.
 - (X) Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.



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